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FOREWORD

This is the twenty-fifth edition of the "Brief Passenger Car Data" booklet. First published in 1931, it has been brought out annually since that time with the exception of the war years of 1943-44-45. In the twenty-seven years that have elapsed, many remarkable things have transpired in the field of automotive progress.

For one, the automobile has developed from a commodity that was a relative luxury into a mode of transportation that today is a necessity in the lives of millions. The improvements in the engines and the fuels — through the joint efforts of the automotive and petroleum industries — in this short span of time have been immense. A single illustration of this advance is found in the rise of average compression ratios of engines along with a corresponding increase in the antiknock quality of gasoline. In 1931, the average compression ratio was 5.23; in 1958 it is about 9.47. In the same period, the average octane number of regular gasoline rose from 63 to 91 and that of premium grade from 75 to 98 with several grades of premiums available at 100 octane or higher.

During these 27 years, many different makes of cars have come and gone. For instance, 17 of the 30 makes of cars which were included in the first issue of this booklet have since been discontinued by their manufacturers, (The Auburn, Cord, Duesenberg, Cunningham, Durant, Essex, Franklin, Graham, Hupmobile, Jordan, Marmon, Oakland, Peerless, Pierce, Reo, Sturz, and Willys-Overland). Many readers can recall and visualize most of them, but to the younger generation of motorists, they are possibly no more than a name associated with some past automotive era.

Since 1931, manufacturers have introduced 13 new makes of cars. (The Terraplane, Lafayette, Austin (American), LaSalle, Rockne, Continental (offered in 1933 by Continental Motors Corporation), Kaiser, Frazer, Henry J., Continental (by the Ford Motor Company), Mercury, Edsel, and Rambler). Of these cars, only the last four listed are still in production today.

This booklet, too, has undergone many changes since 1931. New sections have been added; its format has been revised several times, and as new improvements in automobiles and fuels arose, new information has been gathered and reported. The circulation of the booklet has increased enormously. In 1931, 500 copies of the first edition were printed. In 1958, more than 250,000 copies will be made available as a service publication to people in the automotive and petroleum industries.

NOTICE

The specifications and adjustments contained in this booklet have been compiled by the Research Laboratories of the Ethyl Corporation from information supplied by manufacturers of motor cars, ignition apparatus, spark plugs, etc. None of this information represents the results of tests at the Research Laboratories of the Ethyl Corporation.

This information covers the essential characteristics, in ready reference form, of the 1958 passenger car models. It is correct at date of publication, but changes may be made from time to time by motor car manufacturers.

Data on horsepower, torque, bmep, etc., are that given by the manufacturer. Methods and technique of testing differ in various engineering departments, so these data are frequently not comparable for different makes of cars.

GENERAL NOTES

Spark Plugs

The spark plug installed and recommended by the factory is shown first in the specifications with the corresponding AC, Auto-Lite or Champion spark plug shown as an alternate. These plugs are designed for average driving conditions. For heavy-duty or high-speed driving, it may be necessary to use a colder plug in order to obtain satisfactory spark plug life. The necessity for a colder plug is indicated by rapid electrode wear.

It is sometimes necessary to change to a plug which is hotter than the factory equipment plug for very light service, especially in metropolitan areas. If an engine is not pumping oil and the ignition system is in good condition but the spark plug consistently fouls—the need for a hotter plug is indicated. Caution should be exercised in using hotter than standard plugs as they are likely to cause preignition if the vehicle is subjected to high-speed driving.

Ignition Timing

Ignition timing is given in crankshaft degrees and is factory setting. All distributors are provided with an adjustment enabling the ignition timing to be reset without disturbing the calibration of the distributor advance mechanism. Retarded ignition timing will eliminate or reduce detonation but will result in decreased performance and fuel economy. Also, in most cases, an ignition setting slightly in advance of the factory setting will result in additional performance and economy, although such an ignition setting will require a fuel of higher antiknock value than the standard setting.

Carburetors

Carburetors should not be adjusted or jets changed except by qualified mechanics. Correct fuel (or float) levels are extremely important to satisfactory performance and fuel economy — factory specifications should be strictly maintained.

Transmissions and Axle Ratio

The transmissions which are available as standard or optional equipment are listed with the axle ratios which are used as standard equipment with each type of transmission. In some instances additional axle ratios are available as optional equipment, A description of the automatic transmissions is given on pages 30 and 31.

Shipping Weight

The shipping weight is given for the four-door sedan with standard equipment. The weight of optional equipment such as radios, heaters, and automatic transmissions, etc., is not included. If the automatic transmission is included as standard equipment on the car, its weight is included in the shipping weight.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AC Adv	Advance The Electric Auto-Lite Company
BTC	
C Car Centrif Champ Clr CONS	Carter (carburetors) Centrifugal Champion Spark Plug Company Clearance
DD Deg DR	Degrees
Eng Eqpt Exh	Equipment
H	Horsepower
Int	
L	L-head
Max	Maximum
No. Cyl	Number of Cylinders
OD	Overdrive
Recm Press	
SD	Silchrome Single Standard
TDC	
Vac	Vacuum

SUMMARY OF CHARACTERISTICS

1958 UNITED STATES PASSENGER CARS

Specifications for Four-Door Sedans

	1957	1958	Change
Number of Makes	19	18	-1
Number of Models	47	50	+ 3
ENGINE CHARACTERISTICS:			
Average Standard Compression Ratio	8.96	9.47	+0.51
Highest Standard Compression Ratio	10.0	10.5	+ 0.5
Lowest Standard Compression Ratio	7.2	7.8	+0.6
Average Displacement, Cubic Inches	309.9	325.4	+15.5
Average Maximum Brake Horsepower	236.7	258.6	+21.9
Average RPM at Maximum Horsepower	4594	4534	-60.0
Average Horsepower Per Cubic Inch	0.751	0.779	+0.028
Average Brake Mean Effective Pressure, PSI	155.1	159.2	+4.1
Maximum Horsepower Per Cubic Inch	0.952	0.952	
Minimum Horsepower Per Cubic Inch	0.544	0.460	-0.084
Average Lb/HP—6 Passenger Sedan	16.8	15.8	-1.0

Rated Horsepower With Standard Compression I

ā	indard Compression Ratio:		Number of Models	
	Under 75	. 1	1	0
	75-99	. 0	1	+1
	100-149		5	-1
	150-199		3	-3
	200-249	. 8	5	-3
	250-299	. 17	15	-2
	300-349	9	17	+ 8
	350-400	. 0	3	+ 3

See Curve on Page 32

CAR MODEL	Special Series 40	Century Series 60	Super, Roadmaster & Limited Series 50, 70 & 700
ENGINE			
No. Cyl-Head Type. Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	4,125 x 3,4 364 54,45 250 @ 4400 (1) 380 @ 2400 (1) 157,4	V-8-I 4.125 x 3.4 364 54.45 300 @ 4600 400 @ 3200 165.7 10.0	V-8-I 4.125 x 3.4 364 54.45 300 @ 4600 400 @ 3200 165.7 10.0
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap		AC 45 amp J-12Y, AL .030" to .035"	AC 45 A 52
Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gan		1-2-7-8-4-5-6-3 Delco-Remy 1110 .0125" to .0175	870
Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	26-1/2—19-1/2 625-3750	30° 5° BTC (2) 26-1/2—19-1/2 625-3750 12, Negative	30° 5° BTC (2) 26-1/2—19-1/2 625-3750 12, Negative
VALVES Size and Material	Hy	1.875", SAE 864 437", Sil 10 or 21 draulic Lifters, draulic Lifters,	55N 45°
CARBURETOR			
Make, Model			r Roch 4GC 56", Sec. 1.69"
TRANSMISSION Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Automatic Make Automatic Make Automatic (see page 30)	None	None None Std. 3.23 Dynaflow or ynaflow	None None Std. 3.23 Flight Pitch Dynaflow
CAPACITY Oil (Refill)(qt)	5	5	5
Water (includes heater)(qt) Conventional Transmission .(pt)	2.5	19 Variable Pitch D	19
Auto. Transmission (Refill) .(qt)	12.5 —	Flight Pitch D;	ynaflow
Rear Axle(pt) Gasoline(gal)	20	6 20	6 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Seda		- Andrews I	Constant
Wheelbase(in)	122.0	122.0	127.5
Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers.(in) Shipping Weight(lb)	211.8	211.8 4221	219.1 (3)
		9221	4481 (4)

flow. For conventional transmission the compression ratio is 8.0 and power figures are not available.

(2) Late production cars have 12°BTC basic timing with DR1110934 distributor.

(3) Over-all length of Limited — 227.1

(4) Weight given for Super; Roadmaster 4644; Limited 4678.

(5) Super 7.60x15-24-24; Roadmaster and Limited 8.00x15-24-24.

CADILLAC

CAR MODEL	62	60 Special	75
ENGINE			
No. Cyl-Head Type	V-8-I	V-8-I	V-8-I
Bore and Stroke (in)	4 0 × 3 625	4.0 x 3.625	4.0 x 3.625
Displacement (cu in)	365	365	365
AMA Horsepower		51.2	51.2
AMA Horsepower	310 (2 4000 (1)		
Max Horsepower @ rpm			
Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm	405 (# 3100 (1)		
Max bmep, lb/sq in	167.3	167.3	167.3
Compression Ratio	10.25	10.25	10.25
IGNITION			
Spark Plug-Factory Eqpt	AC 44	AC 44	AC 44
Alternate	Ch	amp J-12Y, AL	A 42
Spark Plug Gap	035"	.035"	.035"
Firing Order	1000	1-8-4-3-6-5-7-	2
Distributor-Make and Model	D	elco-Remy 1110	000
Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac	280 to 222	200 +0 220	.016"
The last Cranbalast Daggers	Es DOC (0)	50 DMG (0)	50 TO 32
Timing-Crankshait Degrees	5 BIC (2)	5 BIC (2)	5 BIC
Adv Deg-Centrif-Vac	10-24	16-24	
Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm	700-4000	700-4000	700-4000
Battery-Volts, Terminal Ground	12, Negative	12, Negative	12, Negative
VALVES			
Size and MaterialInt	1.875	. 1041 Aluminiz	ed Steel
Exh	1.50	0", Sil X-10 or 2	2112N
Tappet Cir-Seat AngleInt		draulic Lifters	
Exh		draulic Lifters.	
CARBURETOR			
Make, Model	Dochaste	= 1CC or Costo	= AED (1)
	rtocheste	er 4GC or Carte	r AFB (1)
Type and Size	4 BDI, 1	-7/16" Pri.; 1-1	1/16" Sec.
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO			
Conventional Axle Ratio		None	None
Overdrive Axle Ratio	None	None	None
to the state of th	CAL D AD CO.	Std. 3.07 (3)	Std. 3.36 (4)
Make Automatic (see page 30)	Hydra-Matic	Hydra-Matic	
CAPACITY			,
		5	5
Oil (Refill)(qt)	5		
Water (includes heater) (qt)	20.7	20.7	21.8
Conventional Transmission . (pt)			1000
Auto. Transmission (Refill).(qt)	11	11	11
Rear Axle(pt)	5	5	5
Gasoline(gal)	20	20	20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Seda	n)	(Central State)	
Wheelbase(in)		133.0	149.75
Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers. (in)	216 8 (5)	225.3	237.1
	4675	4030	5360
Shipping Weight(lb)	4675 8.00x15-26-	2000	
Tire Size—Recm Press(lb)			8.20x15-28-28
(1) Q engine using three 2-bar optional on all other series, 3 (2) Ignition timing 10°BTC on Q (3) 3.36 ratio optional on 60 and	35 bhp @ 4800 engine.	, 405 lb-ft @ 3	400.

(6) All white sidewall tires are 8,20x15-24-24,

 ^{(3) 3.36} ratio optional on 60 and 62 Series and standard on air conditioned cars and on cars equipped with the Q engine.
 (4) 3.77 ratio optional on all model 75 cars.
 (5) Model 6239E and Sedan DeVille 225.3; Eldorado 223.4; convertible and coupes 221.8.

CHEVROLET

CAR MODEL	Six	Turbo-Fire 283 V-8	Turbo-Thrust 348 V-8
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3.56 x 3.94 235.5 30.4 145 @ 4200 215 @ 2400 137.7	3.875 x 3.00 283 48.0 185 @ 4600 (1)	348 54.5
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	.035" 1-5-3-6-2-4 DR 1112403 .016" to .021" 30° TDC 26-15 600-3500	28-15 600-3750	.035" :-6-5-7-2 DR 1110927 .016" to .021" 30° 4" BTC 24-15 700-4600
VALVES Size and Material	1.875", 8645 1.50", 21-4N Hyd. Lifters, 3 Hyd. Lifters, 4	1.72", 8645 1.50", 21-4N 0° Hydraulic 5° Hydraulic	1.94", 8645 1.66", 21-4N Lifters, 45° Lifters, 45°
CARBURETOR Make, Model	RP BC Sgl, 1.573"	RP 2GC 2Bbl, 1.4375" (3	Carter)4 Bbl, 1,4375"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)		Std. 3.55 Opt. 4.11 Opt. 3.36	Std. 3.55 None Opt. 3.36 or Turboglide
CAPACITY	5 17 2 (4) 4-1/2 4 20	4 17 2 (4)	4 23 2 2, Turboglide 2 4 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Seda Wheelbase (in) Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers (in) Shipping Weight (b) Tire Size—Recm Press (ib)	117.5 209.1 3447 (5) 7.50x14-24-24	209.1 3450 (5) 7.50x14-24-24	

(1) With optional 4-barrel carburetor and 9.5 compression ratio, shp 230 4500, 300 lb-ft @ 3000; with fuel injection, 250 bhp @ 5000, 305 lb-ft @ 3800. (2) With optional three 2-barrel carburetors, 280 bhp @ 4800, 355 lb-ft @ 3200, (3) Deloc-Remy 1110890 distributor and 4-barrel carburetor used with 9.5 compression ratio engine. (4) One pint additional with overdrive. (5) Weight given for Biscayne model with manual transmission.

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CAR MODEL	Windsor	Saratoga	New Yorker
ENGINE	SERVICE TO THE	5-127	
No. Cyl-Head Type	V-8-I	V-8-I	V-8-I
Bore and Stroke (in)	3 94 × 3 63	3.94 x 3.63	4.0 x 3.9
Displacement (cu in)		354	392
AMA Horsepower	49.7	49.7	51.2
Max Horsepower @ rpm	290 @ 4400	310 @ 4600	345 @ 4600 (1)
Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm	385 @ 2000	405 @ 3200	450 @ 2800
Max bmep, lb/sq in		172.5	173.1
Compression Ratio	10.0	10.0	10.0
GNITION	AT AT 40	47 47 40	17 1 CD 10
Spark Plug-Factory Eqpt	AL AR-42	AL AR-42	AL AGR-42
Alternate	Champ XJ	12Y, AC R44S	Champ XN12Y,
			AC R44XLS
Spark Plug Gap	035"	.035"	.035"
	.000		.000
Firing Order	1-	8-4-3-6-5	7-2
Distributor-Make and Model	AL IBP-4002F	AL IBP-4002F	
Breaker Gap	.015" to .018"	.015" to .018"	.015" to .018"
Cam Angle	27° to 32°	27° to 32°	36° to 40° (2)
Timing-Crankshaft Degrees	P° PTC	6° BTC	6° BTC
Adv Deg-Centrif-Vac	20-22	20-22	20-22
Adv Begins-Ends-Eng rpm	700-4200	700-4200	715-4800
Battery-Volts, Terminal Ground	12, Negative	12, Negative	12, Negative
VALVES			
Size and MaterialInt	1 04" Sil E	1.94", SII F	2.00", Sil F
Dize and material	1.504 01 437	1 500 01 437	1 75" 01 137
EXII	1.50", 21-41	1.50", 21-4N	1.75", 21-4N
Tappet Clr-Seat AngleInt	H	ydraulic Lifters,	
Exh	H	ydraulic Lifters,	, 45°
CARBURETOR		and a second second	
Make, Model	Car BBD	Car AFB	Car AFB
Type and Size	2 Bbl. 1.44"	4 Bbl, 1,44"	4 Bbl, 1.44"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO			
TRANSMISSION AALE RATTO		*******	*****
Conventional Axle Ratio	Std. 3.73	None	None
Overdrive Axle Ratio	None	None	None
Automatic Axle Ratio	Opt. 2.93	Std. 2.93	Std. 2.93
Make Automatic (see page 30)	TorqueFlite	TorqueFlite	TorqueFlite
CAPACITY			
Oil (Refill)(qt)	4	4	5
On (Remi)(qu)	00	22	25
Water (includes heater) (qt)		44	20
Conventional Transmission . (pt)			
Auto, Transmission (Refill). (qt)	10.5	10.5	10.5
Rear Axle(pt)	3.5	3.5	3.5
Gasoline(gal)		23	23
		20	20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed		1000	100.0
Wheelbase(in)	122.0	126.0	126.0
Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers. (in)	218.1	220.2	220.2
Shipping Weight(lb)		4120	4195
Tire Size—Recm Press(lb)	8 00×14-22-22		9.00x14-22-22
(1) C 200D model uses special ex			

 ⁽¹⁾ C-300D model uses special engine. 390 bhp @ 5200 rpm with fuel injection or 380 bhp @ 5200 rpm with two 4-barrel carburetors.
 (2) Dual breaker distributor 27° to 32° each breaker.

CONTINENTAL

CAR MODEL	Mark III
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in. Compression Ratio	V-8-I 4.30 x 3.70 430 59.17 375 @ 4800 490 @ 3100 171.8
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model. Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground VALVES	AC 84TS, AL BF42 .032" to .036" 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8 Ford FEW 12127-E .015" 26° to 28.5° 7°BTC 26-1/2-23 700-4000
Tappet Clr-Seat AngleInt	1.775", Ford Cast Austenitic, Aluminum Coated
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	Holley 4150 4 Bbl, 1.56"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	None Std. 2.89 (1)
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	5 26 10-1/2 4 22
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Seds Wheelbase	131 229.0 4888

(1) 3.07 axle optional on all models and standard on air conditioned cars.

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CAR MODEL	Firesweep LS1-L	Firedome LS2-M	Fireflite LS3-H
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	4.06 x 3.38 350 52.7 280 @ 4600 (1) 380 @ 2400 (1) 163.7	V-8-I 4.12 x 3.38 361 54.3 295 @ 4600 390 @ 2400 162.9 10.0	V-8-I 4.12 x 3.38 361 54.3 305 @ 4600 (2) 400 @ 2800 (2) 167.1 10.0 (2)
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap Firing Order	.035" Cha	AL AR-42 imp XJ-12Y, AC .035" 8 - 4 - 3 - 6 - 5	R44S .035" -7-2
Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	D15" +0 D10"	Auto-Lite IBP-4 .015" to .018" 27" to 32" 6" BTC 20-19 700-4000 12, Negative	015" +0 010"
VALVES Size and Material	Hy Hy Carter BBD (1	1.95", Sil F 1.60", 21-4N ydraulic Lifters, ydraulic Lifters,	45° 45° Carter AFB
Type and Size. TRANSMISSION Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Axle Ratio Axle Ratio (see page 30)	Std. 3.54 None Opt. (3)	Std. 3.54 None	None None Std. 3.15 TorqueFlite
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	4 17 2-3/4 (4) 3-1/2	4 17 2-3/4 10-1/2 3-1/2 23	4 17 10-1/2 3-1/2 23
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sede Wheelbase (in) Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers (in) Shipping Weight (b) Tire Size—Recm Press (ib) (1) 295 bhp @ 4600, 385 lb-ft @	nn) 122 216.5 3660 8.00x14-22-22(

(1) 295 bhp @ 4600, 385 lb-ft @ 2800 with optional retor.

(3) PowerFlite transmission with 3.31 axle ratio or TorqueFlite transmission with 3.15 axle ratio optional.

(4) TorqueFlite transmission requires 10-1/2 quarts; PowerFlite, 10 quarts.

(5) 8.50 x 14 tires optional.

(6) 9.00 x 14 tires optional.

⁽²⁾ Adventurer has 10.25 compression ratio, 345 bhp @ 5000, 400 lb-ft @ 3600 with two 4-barrel carburetors; 355 bhp @ 5000, 400 lb-ft @ 3600 with fuel injection.

CAR MODEL	Coronet 6	Coronet & Royal V-8	Custom Royal V-8
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type. Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3.25 x 4.63 230 25.4 138 @ 4000 208 @ 1600 136.4	V-8-I 3.69 x 3.80 325 43.3 252@4400(1&2) 345@2400(1&2) 160.1	
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap	J-8, R45	AL AGR-42 XN-12Y, R44XLS ,035"	AL AR-42 XJ-12Y, R44S
Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Orankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	1-5-3-6-2-4 AL IBR-4001 .018" to .022" 39° ± 3° 2°BTC 17-19 700-3600	AL IBP-4002E .015" to .018" 27° to 32° 6°BTC	8-6-5-7-2 AL IBP-4005 .015" to .018" 27° to 32° 6°BTC 20-19 700-4000 12, Negative
Tappet Clr-Seat Angle Int	1.41", XCR		1.95", Sil F 1.60", 21-4N Lifters, 45° Lifters, 45°
CARBURETOR Make, Model	Strom WW 2 Bbl, 1.31"	Strom WW (3) 2 Bbl, 1.44"	Car AFB 4 Bbl, 1.44"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	Std. 3.91 None Opt. 3.73	Std. 3.54 None Opt. (4)	Std. 3.31 None Opt. 3.15 TorqueFlite
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (Includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	5 14 2-3/4 10 3-1/4 20	5 21 2-3/4 (5) 3-1/2 20	4 17 2-3/4 10-1/2 3-1/2 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed. Wheelbase	122 213.8 3410 7.50x14-24-22		

⁽¹⁾ D500 engine, 361 cu. in. displacement, 305 bhp @ 4600, 400 lb-ft @ 2800 with 4-barrel carburetor; 320 bhp @ 4800, 400 lb-ft @ 2800 with two 4-barrel carburetors; or 333 bhp @ 4800, 400 lb-ft @ 3600 with fuel injection available on all V-8 models.

(2) Power figures given are for Coronet; 265 bhp @ 4400, 355 lb-ft @ 2800 for

Royal.
(3) Royal has 4-barrel Carter WCFB carburetor.

(5) PowerFlite requires 10 quarts; TorqueFlite, 9 quarts.
(6) Size given for Coronet, 8.00 x 14 standard on Royal.

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⁽⁴⁾ PowerFlite or TorqueFlite optional, 3.31 ratio with PowerFlite, 3.15 with TorqueFlite.

EDSEL

CAR MODEL	Ranger and Pacer	Corsair and Citation
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type. Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower	4.05 x 3.50 361	V-8-I 4.20 x 3.70 410 56.45
Max Horsepower @ rpm. Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm. Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	303 @ 4600 400 @ 2800 167,1	345 @ 4600 475 @ 2900 174.7 10.5
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model. Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	AC 84TS .032" to .036" 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8 Ford FEU 12127-D .014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° (1) 16-1/2—12 730-4000	Champ F-11-Y , AL BF 42 .032" to .036" 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8 Ford FEU 12127-E .014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° 7°BTC 26-1/2-23 700-4000 12, Negative
VALVES Size and Material	1.555", Ford Cast Austenitic (2) Hydraulic	2.085", Sil 1 (2) 1.775", Ford Cast Austenitic (2) Lifters, 30° Lifters, 45°
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size		Holley 4 Bbl, 1,50"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	Opt. 3.70 Opt. 2.91	None None Std. 2.91 Edsel
CAPACITY (qt) Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	19-1/2 3-1/4 (3) 11-7/8	5 23 12-1/2 5 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sedr Wheelbase	an) 118 213.2 3826 8.00x14-24-22	124 218.9 4230 8.50x14-24-22
 3°BTC with standard or over transmission. 	erdrive transmission.	7°BTC with automatic

⁽²⁾ Intake and exhaust valves aluminum coated.
(3) 4-1/2 pints with overdrive transmission.

CAR MODEL	NE Cyl-Head Type. 6-1 V-8-1 e and Stroke (in) 3.62 x 3.60 3.75 x 3.30 elacement (cu in) 223 292 A Horsepower 31.54 45.0 E Horsepower @ rpm 145 @ 4200 205 @ 4500 (1) C Torque, lb-ft @ rpm 212 @ 2100 295 @ 2400 (1) c bmep, lb/sq in 143.4 152.3		V-8-I 4.00 x 3.30 332 51.2 265 @ 4600 (2) 360 @ 2800 (2) 163.5 9.5 (2)	
Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm				
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model. Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Grankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery-Volts, Terminal Ground	85TS, BF82 .032" to .036" 1-5-3-6-2-4 FET 12127-B .024" to .026" 35° to 38° (3) None—24-1/2 1000-2700	Champ F 11-Y Champ F 185TS, BF82 84TS, BF42 032" to .036" .032" to .03 1-5-4-8-6-3-7-2 FEU 12127-M FEU 12127-M 5014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° (3) 32-22 29-22 770-4000 12, Negative 12, Negative 12, Negative 12, Negative 12, Negative 185TS, BF3TS, BF3T		
VALVES Size and MaterialInt Exh Tappet Clr—Seat AngleInt Exh		1.925", Sil 1 last Austenitic .019" H, 45° .019" H, 45°	2.03", Sil 1 (4) 1.56", (5) .026" H, 30° .026" H, 45°	
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	Hallon	Ford or Holley	Holley 4 Bbl, 1.50" or 1.56"	
TRANSMISSION Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Automatic Make Automatic (see gage 30)	Std. 3.70 Opt. 3.70 Opt. 3.56	Std. 3.56 Opt. 3.70 Opt. 3.10 Fordomatic	Std. 3.56 Opt. 3.56 Opt. (6) Fordomatic or Cruise-O-Matic	
CAPACITY (qt) Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto, Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	16 3 (7) 9 5.5 20	5 20 3 (7) 9 5.5 20	5 20 3 (7) 10 5.5 20	
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase (in) Over-All Leth Incl Bumpers. (in) Shipping Weight (ib) Tire Size—Recm Press. (ib)	116 Custom (8) 202 Custom (8) 3214 Custom 7.50x14-24-22	3326 Custom (8) 7.50x14-24-22	3510 7.50x14-24-22	

All Models Custom 300

- (1) The 265 bhp engine listed under Fairlane 500 is optional on Custom 300 and Fairlane models.
- (2) A 352 cu, in, 10,2 compression ratio, 300 bhp @ 4600, 395 lb-ft @ 2800 engine is available as optional equipment.
 (3) 4°BTC on 6 and 3°BTC on 292 and 352 cu in. V-8's with std. or OD transmission; 6°BTC with automatic, 5°BTC on 332 cu, in, V-8 with std. and OD transmission; 8°BTC with automatic.
 (4) Intake valves aluminum coated Sil 1 steel.
- (5) Exhaust valves aluminum coated Ford cast austenitic steel.(6) 2.91 axle ratio with Fordomatic; 2.69 with Cruise-O-Matic.
- (7) Capacity with overdrive, 3 pints refill.
- (8) 118" wheelbase, 207" over-all for Fairlane and Fairlane 500.

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IMPERIAL

CAR MODEL	Imperial, Imperial Crown, and Imperial LeBaron
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	V-8-I 4.00 x 3.90 392 51.2 345 @ 4600 450 @ 2800 173.1 10.0
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model. Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	6°BTC 20—22 715—4800
Tappet Clr-Seat Angle Int	1.75", 21-4N
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	None Std. 2.93 (2)
CAPACITY Oil (Refill)	5 25 10.5 3.5 23
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase (in) Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers (in) Shipping Weight (lb) Tire Size—Recm Press (lb)	129.0 225.8 4590 (3)

Dual breaker distributor, 27° to 32° each breaker.
 3.15 axle ratio with air conditioning.
 Crown Imperial 4755, Imperial LeBaron 4780.

LINCOLN

	FINCORIA
CAR MODEL	Capri and Premiere
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	375 @ 4800
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	AC 84TS, AL BF 42 .032" to .036" 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8 Ford FEW 12127-E .015" 26° to 28.5° 7°BTC 26-1/2—23 700—4000
Tappet Clr—Seat AngleInt	1.775", Ford Cast Austenitic, Aluminum Conted
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio	None None Std. 2.89 (1)
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal) GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sedf Wheelbase (in) Over-All Leth Incl Bunners (in)	5 26 10-1/2 4 22 an) 131.0 229 0
Shipping Weight	models and standard on air conditioned cars, niere.

MERCURY

CAR MODEL	Monterey	Montclair	Park Lane	,
CAR MODEL ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type. Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Alternate Spark Plug Gap Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model.	4.3 x 3.3 383 (1) 59.17 312 @ 4600 (1) 405 @ 2900 (1) 159.5 10.5 Champ F 11-Y	Montclair V-8-I 4.3 x 3.3 383 (1) 59.17 330 # 4800 (1) 425 @ 3000 (1) 167.3 10.5 Champ F 11-Y 0.32" to .036" 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-1 Ford FEW 12127	480 @ 3000 (1) 168.3 10.5 Champ F 11-Y 42 .032" to .036"	
Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	.014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° (2) 26-1/2-23	.014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° 7°BTC 26-1/2-23	.014" to .016" 26° to 28.5° 7°BTC 26-1/2-23 700-4000 12, Negative	
VALVES Size and Material	2.085", Sil 1 (3) 1.775", H H	2.085", Sil 1 (3) Ford Cast Aust ydraulic Lifters ydraulic Lifters	, 30°	
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	Ford 4 Bbl, 1.437"	or Holley 4 Bbl, 1.50"	Holley 4 Bbl, 1.56"	
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)			None None Std. 2.91 Multi-Drive	
CAPACITY Oil (Refill)	5 21.5 3.25 (5) 11 5 20	5 21.5 11 5 20	5 21.5 11.5 5 20	
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase	122 213.2 4114 8.00x14		125 220.2 4255 8.50x14-24-24	0

^{(1) 430} cu. in., 360 bhp @ 4600 engine optional on the Turnpike Cruiser. A 430 cu. in., 400 bhp @ 4600, 480 lb-ft @ 300 engine equipped with three 2-barrel carburetors optional on all models. (2) 4°BTC with standard transmission; 7°BTC with Merc-O-Matic transmission.

(3) Intake and exhaust valves aluminum coated.

(5) 4-1/2 pints with overdrive.

^{(4) 2.91} axle used on air conditioned cars and all cars equipped with the optional 430 cu. in. engine.

^{(6) 8.50} x 14 tires used on air conditioned cars.

OLDSMOBILE

CAR MODEL	"88"	Super "88"	Ninety-Eight
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type. Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm. Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm. Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	4.0 x 3.69 371 51 265 @ 4400 (1) 390 @ 2400 (1) 158.5	V-8-I 4.0 x 3.69 371 51 305 @ 4600 (1) 410 @ 2800 (1) 166.7 10.0	V-8-I 4.0 x 3.69 371 51
IGNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order	.030" Ch	AC 44 namp J-12Y, AL .030" 1-8-7-3-6-5-4-2	AC 44 A42 .030"
Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	.016" 28° to 32° 5°BTC @ 850 24-24 600-4400	Delco-Remy 1110 .016" 28° to 32° rpm with vacuu 24-24 600-4400	929 .016" 28° to 32° m disconnected 24-24 600-4400
VALVES Size and Material	Н	, SAE 3140 or SA 1.56", 21-4N odraulic Lifters, odraulic Lifters,	45°
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size		RP 4GC 4 Bbl, Pri. 1.	RP 4GC 56": Sec. 1.69"
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30) CAPACITY	Std. 3.64 None Opt. 3.07 Hydra-Matic	Std. 3.64 None Opt. 3.23 Hydra-Matic	None None Std. 3.42 Hydra-Matic
Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission .(pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) .(qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	4 21 2.5 11 5 20	4 21 2.5 11 5 20	4 21 2.5 11 5 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed: Wheelbase	122.5 208.2 3985	122.5 208.2 4008 tandard; 9.00x1	126.5 216.7 4316 4-22-20 Optiona

⁽¹⁾ Power package engine with three 2-barrel Rochester carburetors optional. 312 bhp @ 4600 rpm, 415 lb-ft at 2800 rpm.

PACKARD

CAR MODEL	Packard Hawk	(
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio		
IGNITION	Ch 77 1077	
Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap. Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	1-8-4-3-6-5-7-2 Delco-Remy 1110864 .013" to .018" 28° to 34° 4°BTC 24-16 600-2250	•
Tappet Cir-Seat Angle Int	1-17/32". SAE 2112N	
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	Strom WW	
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	None Opt. 4.09	
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Overdrive Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	18.5 4.6	
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed. Wheelbase	120.5 205-1/16 3470	

⁽¹⁾ A single stage supercharger with a variable speed drive is used.

PLYMOUTH

CAR MODEL	Plaza, Savoy and Belvedere 6	Plaza, Savoy and Belvedere V-8	Golden Commando Engine Option	
ENGINE				
No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm. Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3.25 x 4.63 230 25.4 132 @ 3600 205 @ 1200 134.4	V-8-I 3.91 x 3.31 318 48.9 225 @ 4400 (1) 330 @ 2800 (1) 156.5 9.0	V-8-I 4.06 x 3.38 350 52.7 305 @ 5000 (2) 370 @ 3600 (2) 159.2 10.0	
IGNITION				
Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt	J-8, R 45 .035" 1-5-3-6-2-4	.035" AL IBP-	AL AR-32 12Y, AC R44S .035" 3-6-5-7-2 AL IBS-4006B	
Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	39° ± 3° 2°BTC 17-19 700-3600	4003F (1) .015" to .018" 27° to 32° 10°BTC 18-26-3/4 875-4600 12, Negative	.015" to .018" 36° to 40° Tota 8°BTC 20-19 700-4000 12, Negative	
Tappet Clr-Seat AngleInt	1.41", XCR	1.84", Sil F 1.56", 21-4N .012" H, 45° .018" H, 45°	1.95", Sil F 1.60", 21-4N Hyd.Lifters,45 Hyd.Lifters,45	
CARBURETOR Make, Model		Car BBS or Strom WW 2 Bbl, 1.44"	Carter AFB Two 4 Bbl; Pri 1.44"; Sec 1.56	
Type and Size	og1, 1.09	2 Doi, 1,44	1.44 , 500 1.50	
TRANSMISSION Conventional Overdrive Axle Ratio Axle Ratio Automatic Make Automatic (see page 30)	Opt. 4.1 Opt. 3.73	Std. 3,54 Opt. 3,91 Opt. (3)	Std. 3.73 None Opt. 3.31 TorqueFlite	
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	14 2-3/4 (4) 10 3-1/4	5 21 2-3/4 (4) (5) 3-1/2 20	4 17 2-3/4 10-1/2 3-1/2 20	
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase	118 206 3220 7.50x14-22-22	118 206 3400 7.50x14-24-22	118 206 N.A. 8.00x14-22-22	

With power package consisting of 4-barrel carter AFB carburetor and Auto-Lite IBP-4003D distributor, 250 bhp @ 4400, 340 lb-ft @ 2800. Fury model uses 318 cu. in. engine, 9.25 comp. ratio, two 4-bal carburetors, 290 bhp @ 5200, 330 lb-ft @ 3600.
 Power figures given for two 4-barrel carburetors. With fuel injection 315 bhp @ 5000, 370 lb-ft @ 3600.
 PowerFlite or TorqueFlite optional. 3.31 axle with PowerFlite; 3.15 with TorqueFlite.

TorqueFlite.

(4) 3/4 pint additional with overdrive.

(5) PowerFlite 10 quarts; TorqueFlite 9 quarts refill.

PONTIAC

CAR MODEL	Chieftain	Super Chief	Star Chief
ENGINE			
No. Cyl-Head Type	V-8-T	V-8-I	V-8-I
Bore and Stroke (in)	4 06 × 2 56	4.06 x 3.56	
Displacement (cu in)	2.00 X 3.00	370	4.06 x 3.56
ANTA Homeone (cu in)	370		370
AMA Horsepower	52.8	52.8	52.8
Max Horsepower @ rpm	240 @ 4	500 (1) (3)	255 @ 4500 (2) (3) 360 @ 2600 (2) (3)
Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm	354 @ 2	600 (1) (3)	360 @ 2600 (2) (3)
Max bmep, 1b/sq in	144.3	144.3	146.7
Compression Ratio	8.6(1)(3)	8.6(1)(3)	8.6 (2) (3)
IGNITION			
Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt	AC 45	AC 45	AC 45
Alternate	C	hamp J-18Y, Al	
Spark Plug Gap	022# +0 029#	033" +0 038"	022" to 028"
Firing Order	.000 10 .000	1-8-4-3-6-5-7	.033 10.038
Piring Order	DD		
Distributor-Make and Moder.	- DR	1110924 with 8	
	DR II	10913 with 10 8	
Breaker Gap	.016"	.016"	.016"
Cam Angle	28° to 32°	28° to 32° 6° BTC	28° to 32°
Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees	6° BTC	6° BTC	6° BTC
Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm	28-20 with 8	.6 CR; 22-20 wi	th 10 & 10.5 CR
Adv Begins-Ends-Eng rpm	650-4600	650-4600	650-4600
Battery-Volts, Terminal Ground	12. Negative	12. Negative	12. Negative
VALVES			Charles and the second
Size and MaterialInt	1 00"	Sil F Aluminun	Treated
Size and Material	1.00 ,	XCR Aluminu	m Treated
Exh	1.60 , 1	MACR Aluminu	in freated
Tappet Cir-Seat AngleInt	H	ydraulic Lifter.	
Exh	H	ydraulic Lifter	5, 45
CARBURETOR			
Make, Model	RP 2GC (3)	RP 2GC (3)	Carter AFB (3)
Type and Size	2 Bbl. 1.69"	2 Bbl. 1.69"	4 Bbl. 1.44" Pri:
			1.69" Sec.
TRANSMISSION AXLE RATIO			
Conventional Axle Ratio		Std. 3.42	Std. 3.42
		Mone	Mone
Overdrive Axle Ratio	Opt. 3.23	Opt. 3.23	Opt. 3.23
Automatic Axle Ratio	Opt. 3.23	Opt. 3.23	Opt. 3.23
Make Automatic (see page 30)	Hydra-Matic	Hydra-Matic	Hydra-Matic
CAPACITY			
Oil (Refill)(qt)	5	5	5
Water (includes heater) (qt)	22.3	22.3	22.3
	1.8	1.8	1.8
Auto. Transmission (Refill) . (qt)	9	9	9
Rear Axle(pt)	5	5	5
		20	20
Gasoline(gal)			
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed			
Wheelbase(in)	122	124	124
Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers. (in)	210.5	215.5	215.5
Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers. (in) Shipping Weight(lb)	3735	3770	3825
Shipping Weight(lb) Tire Size—Recm Press(lb)	8.00x14-22-228	Standard; 8.50x	14-20-20 Optional
(1) A 10 to 1 compression ratio 27			
(1) A 10 to 1 compression ratio 2	missism is small	flad	2000 Ipm engine
used when Hydra-Matic trans	mission is speci	205 11 41 6	none analyse used
(2) A 10 to 1 compression ratio	285 bub @ 4600	J, 395 ID-It (I)	2000 engine used
when Hydra-Matic transmissi	on is specified.		
(3) The following optional engine	s are available	on all models:	
BHP @ RPM Torque @	RPM CR	Carburetor	
285 @ 4600 395 @ 2800	10.0	4 Bbl	
300 @ 4600 400 @ 3000	10.5	3 - 2 Bb1	
BHP @ RPM Torque @ 285 @ 4600 395 @ 2800 300 @ 4600 400 @ 3400 310 @ 4800 400 @ 3400	10.5	Fuel Injectio	n
010 10 1000	10.0	- Mer Hillecone	

RAMBLER

CAR MODEL	Rambler 6 5810	Rambler Rebel 5820	Rambler Ambassador 5880
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3.125 x 4.25 195.6 23.44 127 @ 4200 (1) 180 @1600 (1) 138.5	V-8-I 3.5 x 3.25 250 39.2 215 @ 4900 260 @ 2500 156.8 8.7	V-8-I 4.0 x 3.25 327 51.2 270 @ 4700 360 @ 2600 166.0 9.7
IGNITION			
Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt. Alternate Spark Plug Gap Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Grankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm.	AC 45L .033" to .037" - 1-5-3-6-2-4 DR 1110246 .016" 28° to 35° 5° BTC 22-22 1000-4200	5° BTC 36-24 650-4000	AC 45L .033" to .037" -6-5-7-2 DR 1110887 .016" 28° to 32° 5° BTC 36-20 600-3800
Battery-Volts, Terminal Ground	12, Negative	12, Negative	12, Negative
Tappet Clr-Seat Angle Int	1.343", 2112N .012" H, 45° .016" H, 45°	.012" H, 30° .014" H, 45°	Sil 1 or XB , 2112N Hyd. Lifters, 30° Hyd. Lifters, 45° y 4150C
TRANSMISSION COnventional Overdrive Axle Ratio Axle Ratio Automatic Make Automatic (see page 30)	Std. 3.78 (2) Opt. 4.38 (3) Opt. 3.31 (4)	Std. 4.10 (2) Opt. 4.44 (3) Opt. 3.55 (4)	Std. 4.10 Opt. 4.10 Opt. 3.15
CAPACITY Oil (Refil)	4 11 1.5 (5) 10 3 20	4 21 2.25 (5) 10 4 20	4 20 4 (5) 11 4 20
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase	108 191.15 2960 6.40x15-24-24(6		

carburetor.

carouretor.
(2) 4.38 or 4.11 optional on Rambler 6; 4.44 optional on Rebel.
(3) 4.11 optional on Rambler 6; 4.10 optional on Rebel.
(4) 3.78 optional on Rambler 6; 3.15 optional on Rebel.
(5) Overdrive requires 1.25 pints additional on Rambler 6 or Rambler Rebel.
4 pints total capacity of O.D. and transmission on Ambassador.
(6) 6.70 x 15-24-24 tires optional on Rambler 6.

RAMBLER-METROPOLITAN

CAR MODEL	Rambler 100° Wheelbase	Metropolitan 1500
ENGÍNE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3-1/8 x 4-1/4 195.6 23.44 90 @ 3800 150 @ 1600	4-T 2-7/8 x 3-1/2 90.89 13.22 55 @ 4600 82 @ 2400 135.9 8.3
IGNITION		
Spark Plug-Factory Eqpt	Champ H-10, AC 45L .030" 1-5-3-6-2-4 Delco-Remy .016" 28° to 35° 3° BTC 12-11 850-4000	.024" to .026" 1-3-4-2 Lucas LA-12 .014" to .016" 60° + 3 5° BTC 24-20 480-3480
VALVES		
Size and Material	1-19/32", 3140 1-11/32", 2112 .015" H, 45° .015" H, 45°	1-3/8", Sil 1 1-3/16", XB .015" H or C, 45° .015" H or C, 45°
CARBURETOR Make, Model Type and Size	Carter YF Single	Zenith 30-VIG-10 Single
TRANSMISSION Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	Std. 3.77 Opt. 4.4 Opt. 3.3	Std. 4.22 None None None
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto. Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt)	11 1-1/2 (1) 10	4 8 5-1/2 2-1/4 10-1/2
Gasoline (gal) GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase (in) Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers (in) Shipping Weight (ib) Tire Size—Recm Press (ib)	an) 100 178-1/4 2495 (Est.) 5.90x15-24-24 (2)	85 149-1/2 1875 (Hard top) 5.20x13-24-22 (3)

⁽¹⁾ Overdrive requires 1-1/4 pints additional. (2) 6.40 x 15 tires optional. (3) 5.90 x 13 tires optional.

STUDEBAKER

CAR MODEL	Scotsman & Champion	Commander	President
ENGINE No. Cyl-Head Type Bore and Stroke (in) Displacement (cu in) AMA Horsepower Max Horsepower @ rpm Max Torque, lb-ft @ rpm Max bmep, lb/sq in Compression Ratio	3 x 4-3/8 185.6 21.6 101 @ 4000 152 @ 1800 123.5	V-8-I 3-9/16 x 3-1/4 259.2 40.6 180 @ 4500 260 @ 2800 151.3 8.3	V-8-I 3-9/16 x 3-5/8 289 40.6 225 @ 4500 305 @ 3000 159.1 8.3
GNITION Spark Plug—Factory Eqpt Spark Plug Gap—Firing Order Distributor—Make and Model. Breaker Gap Cam Angle Timing—Crankshaft Degrees. Adv Deg—Centrif—Vac Adv Begins—Ends—Eng rpm. Battery—Volts, Terminal Ground	AC 44, AL A5 .028" to .033" 1-5-3-6-2-4 AL IAT-4201 .020" 38° to 40° 2°BTC 14-18 800-2800	.033" to .038" 1-8-4- DR .013" to .018" 28° to 34° 4°BTC 24-16	AL 82 .033" to .038" 36-5-7-2 1110864 .013" to .018" 28° to 34° 4°BTC 24-16 600-2250
Tappet Clr-Seat Angle Int	1 0 /20/ 2112	.026" C or	7, SAE 8645 2", 2112N .024" H, 45° .024" H, 45°
Make, Model	Carter Single 1.25"	Strom WW 2 Bbl., 1.25"	Car WCFB 4 Bbl., 1.25"
TRANSMISSION Conventional Axle Ratio Overdrive Axle Ratio Automatic Axle Ratio Make Automatic (see page 30)	Std. 4.10 (1)	Std. 3.54 Opt. 3.73 Opt. 3.31 Fightomatic	Std. 3.54 Opt. 3.92 Opt. 3.31 Fightomatic
CAPACITY Oil (Refill) (qt) Water (includes heater) (qt) Conventional Transmission (pt) Auto, Transmission (Refill) (qt) Rear Axle (pt) Gasoline (gal)	12.5 (2)	5 18.5 3.8 (3) 9 3 18	5 18.5 3.8 (3) 9 3 18
GENERAL DATA (Four-Door Sed Wheelbase (in) Over-All Lgth Incl Bumpers (in) Shipping Weight (ib) Tire Size—Recm Press (ib)	116-1/2 (4) 202-3/8 (4) 2835 (5) 6.40x15-24-20		120-1/2 (4) 206-3/8 (4) 3365 8.00x14-24-20

(1) Data given for Champion. Scotsman uses 3.54 axle ratio with conventional transmission and with overdrive. Automatic transmission is not available on the Scotsman.

(2) Champion 12.5 quarts. Scotsman 11.5.

(3) Overdrive requires .85 pints additional on 6's and .24 pints on V-8's.
(4) Silver Hawk and Golden Hawk models 120-1/2" wheelbase, 203-15/16" over-all.

(5) Weight given for Champion, Scotsman 2740 pounds.

SPARK PLUG HEAT

	*		п	OTTER-	
	10 mm ¼" Reach		M-8		
	14 mm %" Reach	C49	48 48X	46-5 46 R46 46X	R45 45S* 45 R45S*
AC	14 mm %s" Reach		47L		
	14 mm ¾" Reach		47XL	46XL	45XL 45XLR R45XLS
	18 mm 60° Seat			86T 86TS*	85T R85T 85TS*
	10 mm ¼" Reach		Y-8		Y-6
	14 mm %" Reach	J-14	J-12	J-11	J-8 J-18Y*
CHAM- PION	14 mm %s" Reach		H-12	H-11	H-10 H-18Y*
	14 mm -¾" Reach				N-18
	18 mm 60* Seat				870 F-14Y*
	10 mm ¼" Reach			P6 PR6	
	14 mm %" Reach	A11	AR10 AT10 A9	AR8 A82* AR80 AR82 4S-140 AT8	• A7
AUTO- LITE	14 mm 1/16" Reach	AL11	AL9	ARLS ARLS	2° AL7
	14 mm ¾" Reach		4GS125	4GS-150 AGR82*	AG7
	18 mm 60° Seat			BRF8 BF82* BRF82*	BF7

[•] Plugs with extended gap design

RANGE COMPARISONS

	COLDER					
AC	10 mm ¼" Reach		104			
	14 mm 3/6" Reach	42	43 43-5 43-5R R43	R44S*	44 R44 44-5	
	14 mm %e" Reach		43L			
	14 mm ¾" Reach	44XLS* R44XL			R44XLS*	
	18 mm 60° Sest	84T 84TS*				
CHAM PION	10 mm ¼" Reach	Y-4A				
	14 mm %" Reach	J-2	J-5	J-12Y* J-6	J-7	
	14 mm %e" Reach			Н-8	H-9	
	14 mm ¾" Reach	N-8 NA-10	XN12Y*	N-16Y* NA-8	N-8 N-8B	
	18 mm 60° Seat	F-10		860 F-11Y*		
AUTO- LITE	10 mm ¼" Reach		P4 PR4			
	14 mm ¾" Reach	A3 AT3 AR32* 4S-250	AR4 A42* AR41 AR42* AT4	AR 5 A52* AR51 AR52* A5	AT6	
	14 mm %e" Reach		ATIA	AL5 ARL5		
	14 mm ¾" Reach	AGR32* AGR31 AG3	4GS-200 AGR41 AGR42*	AGR51 AGR52* 4GS-175 AG52* AG5		
	18 mm 60° Seat	BTF3	BRF42* BF42*		BTF6	

AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSIONS

Variable Pitch Dynaflow (Buick)

The Dynaflow transmission consists of a five-element torque converter and a multiple pinion planetary gearset providing low and reverse ratios. The two turbine elements of the converter are interconnected through a planetary gearset of 1.6:1 ratio. The stator vanes are pivoted in the vane carrier and their pitch is controlled by a hydraulic piston in response to accelerator position. The maximum torque multiplication of the converter is 3.5 in the high stator pitch and 3.2 in the low pitch position. No additional gearing, other than the internal gearing between the turbines, is used for normal forward driving. The drive is always through the converter. Low range 1.82:1 gear ratio can be manually engaged at any throttle position for extra pulling power and engine braking.

Flight Pitch Dynaflow (Buick)

This transmission consists of a five-element torque converter consisting of three turbines, a variable pitch stator and a pump. Two of the turbines are connected individually to the output shaft through the elements of two planetary gearsets, while the third turbine is directly connected to the output shaft. A multiple-pitch stator provides an infinite number of positions from low to high angle in response to throttle position. The maximum torque multiplication of the converter is 4.5:1. No additional gearing other than the internal gearing between the turbines and the output shaft is provided. A hydraulic retarder is used for downhill braking.

Flash-O-Matic (American Motors)

This transmission is used on Rambler automobiles and is composed of a three-element torque converter and a multiple pinion compound planetary gearset to produce three forward speeds and reverse. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 2.12:1. Normal drive starts through the torque converter and low gear ratio (2.40:1), shifts to torque converter plus intermediate ratio (1.47:1) and then shifts to converter only. In D-2 position transmission starts in intermediate gear and shifts to direct. The shifts are automatic and vary with car speed and accelerator position. The transmission can be manually locked in low range for added pulling power and engine braking.

Flightomatic (Studebaker-Packard Corporation)

This transmission is used on Studebaker and Packard automobiles and is composed of a three-element torque converter and a multiple pinion compound planetary gearset to produce three forward speeds and reverse. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 2.15:1. Normal drive starts through the torque converter and low gear ratio (2.40:1), shifts to torque converter plus intermediate ratio (1.47:1) and then shifts to converter only. The shifts are automatic and vary with car speed and accelerator position. The transmission can be manually locked in low range for added pulling power and engine braking.

Fordomatic, Merc-O-Matic, Teletouch and Turbo-Drive (Ford, Mercury, Edsel, and early production Lincoln and Continental)

This transmission is composed of a three-element torque converter and a multiple pinion planetary gear system to produce three forward speeds and reverse. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 1.9 to 2.1:1. Normal drive starts through the torque converter and intermediate gear ratio and automatically shifts to converter only, depending on throttle opening and car speed. Low gear can be engaged for added acceleration from a standstill or from low vehicle speeds by depressing the accelerator to the floor. The transmission may be manually locked in low range for added pulling power or engine braking.

Cruise-O-Matic, Multi-Drive, Turbo-Drive (Ford, Mercury, Edsel, Lincoln and Continental)

This transmission is a redesigned version of the above transmission and is composed of a three element torque-converter and a multiple pinion planetary gear system to produce three forward speeds and reverse. The drive is always through the converter. Normal drive in D-1 position starts through the torque converter and low gear ratio, shifts to torque converter plus intermediate ratio and then shifts to converter only. In D-2 position the transmission starts in intermediate gear and then shifts to direct. The shifts are automatic and vary with car speed and accelerator position.

Hydra-Matic (Detroit Transmission Division, GMC)

This transmission is used by Cadillac, Oldsmobile, and Pontiac. It consists of two fluid couplings and three planetary gearsets providing four forward speeds and reverse. The large fluid coupling is used for the transmission of power as in the original Hydra-Matic. The small fluid coupling acts as a clutch in the forward planetary gearset. The shifts are automatic and vary with car speed and accelerator position. Ratios are as follows: first, 3.97:1, second, 2.55:1; third, 1.55:1; and fourth, 1:1.

PowerFlite (Chrysler Corporation)

This transmission is used on DeSoto, Dodge and Plymouth in both V-8 and six-cylinder cars. It consists of a three-element torque converter and two planetary gearsets providing low and reverse ratios. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 2.7:1. Normal drive starts through the torque converter and low gear ratio (1.72:1) and automatically shifts to converter only, depending on throttle opening and car speed. The transmission can be manually locked in low range for extra pulling power and engine braking.

Powerglide (Chevrolet)

This transmission consists of a three-element torque converter with a multiple pinion planetary gearset providing low and reverse ratios. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 2.1:1. Normal drive starts through the torque converter and low gear ratio (1.82:1) and automatically shifts to converter only, depending on throttle opening and car speed. The transmission can be manually locked in low range for extra pulling power and engine braking.

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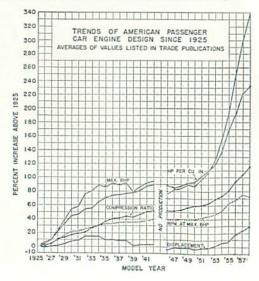
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TorqueFlite (Chrysler Corporation)

This transmission is used on Chrysler, DeSoto, Dodge, Imperial and Plymouth. It consists of a three-element torque converter and two planetary gearsets providing three forward speeds and reverse. The drive is always through the converter which has a maximum torque multiplication of 2.2 to 2.7, depending on the blade angle of the particular converter used. Normal drive starts through the converter and low gear ratio (2.45:1), shifts to torque converter plus intermediate ratio (1.45:1) and then shifts to converter only. The shifts are automatic and vary with car speed and accelerator position. The transmission may be manually locked in low or intermediate gear for added pulling power or engine braking.

Turboglide (Chevrolet)

This transmission consists of a five-element torque converter consisting of three turbines, a variable pitch stator and a torque converter pump. Two of the turbines are connected individually to the output shaft through the elements of two simple planetary gearsets. The stator vanes are pivoted in the vane carrier and their pitch is controlled by a hydraulic piston in response to accelerator position. The maximum torque multiplication of the converter is 4.2:1 in the high stator pitch position and 3.8 in the low position. No additional gearing other than the internal gearing between the turbines and the output shaft is provided. A hydraulic retarder is used for downhill braking.



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